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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
ISAO IMAMURA	: Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
) : Group Art Unit: Unknown)
Application No.: 09/526,173	
Filed: March 15, 2000)
For: INK-JET RECORDING HEAD AND ITS MANUFACTURING	;) :
METHOD) Date: January 5, 2001
Commissioner for Patents	 -
Washington D.C. 20231	C)

Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

For the concise explanation of relevance for the Japanese documents, the Examiner is referred to the specification at pages 1-4 and 11, where these references are cited, and to the English-language abstracts submitted herewith.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be initialed and returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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